

YOUNG FAN BEATS EMPIRE TO DEATH

Youth, 18, Is Accused of Beating Bat Wielder.

DECISION NOT LIKED

Official in Baseball Game Is Hit Over Head and Dies in St. Louis Hospital.

(By Chicago Tribune Leased Wire.)
ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 17.—(Special.)—A spectator at a game in Penton, St. Louis county, putting into action the thought which is often recklessly expressed at baseball games, killed the umpire.
The umpire, Charles Bouzek, 33 year old, deputy sheriff at Jefferson county, having a wife and four children, was struck on the head with a bat wielded by the dissatisfied spectator, and fell unconscious. He was taken to Lutheran hospital, St. Louis, and died there this morning.
Charles Woolsey, 18, of Valley Park, was held in the Clayton jail, charged with the assault. The prosecuting attorney's office said he would be formally charged with first degree murder.
Empire Standing Near First.
The game was between the Penton and Valley Park teams and in the fifth inning. The score was 0 to 0 in Penton's favor. Valley Park was at bat and Bouzek, who was umpiring the bases, was standing near first.
A Valley Park baserunner took a long lead off first base, and when the ball was thrown to first and the Valley Park man tried to regain the edge, Bouzek declared him out.
The Valley Park players and some spectators who favored the visiting team raised an uproar.
Victim Struck Over Ear.
As the noise was subsiding, a young man, said by spectators to have been Woolsey, came from the place where he had been sitting, beyond center field, and walked toward the umpire, at first base. A bat thrown by one of the players lay in his path and the youth picked it up and held it behind him as he walked toward Bouzek.
Someone in the crowd called to him, "Go to it," and an instant later the youth struck Bouzek over the right ear with the bat. Bouzek fell and his assistant dropped the ball and ran. Spectators and players of both teams started a pursuit.

Moving Picture News

TODAY'S FILM FEATURES.

Columbia—Lewis Stone, "Pillars of the Sky."
Liberty—All-star cast, "I Am the Law."
Rivoli—Eugene O'Brien in "John Smith."
Majestic—Oliver Morosco's "The Half Breed."
Helling—"Nanook of the North."
Hippodrome—William Farnum, "Shackles of Gold."
Circle—Edna Murphy and Johnnie Walker in "Extra, Extra."

EUGENE O'BRIEN in "John Smith," is the current attraction at the Rivoli theater. It is a plain title, not much to draw one into a theater, but it is taken from a situation in the photoplay, which is a splendid production.
"John Smith," played by Mr. O'Brien, is a convict who is paroled for his good behavior. He went to prison because he would not tell and because he wished to conceal his real identity to spare his mother. Regaining his freedom he makes good in business. Subsequently his employer, whose mother is aged, nervous and quarrelsome, sends Smith to manage the big establishment for her, and to "see whether he can straighten matters out and make things more comfortable for her."
Smith goes to the house of chaos, friction and rank discord, where everybody apparently hates everybody else, including themselves. It is not long before harmony begins to creep in, smiles replace sneers, and the element of love finds its way into the house, inevitably converting it into a home. Smith re-

flected love and confidence and it was returned.
But the necessary conflict enters when the funds stored on charity bazaar, with which as treasurer he was entrusted, are stolen. Circumstances pointed to him. At the trial he admits having been absent from the house on the night of the robbery, but steadily refuses to tell where he was. The jury leaves the courtroom. Conviction is certain. Then a tremendous punch is introduced when his sweetheart stops the jurymen, declaring that he remained silent because the night from the house on the night of the robbery—"he spent with me."
His attorneys knew she was lying to save him, but were willing to take advantage of her sacrifice of honor. But the "hard-boiled" probation officer, who helped Smith in the beginning, contrary to supposed police methods, remained his friend and trapped the real culprits.

Screen Gossip.
Vincent Knowles, director of the Columbia theater players, modestly promises to outdo himself on "The Storm," the super-feature coming to that theater.
Eugene O'Brien plays the role of an officer in the royal mounted. But the "hard-boiled" probation officer, who helped Smith in the beginning, contrary to supposed police methods, remained his friend and trapped the real culprits.

Most of the action in "The Sin Flood," a forthcoming picture, takes place in a saloon. Sounds like a historical film.
"The Wall Flower" is to be followed by "The Dust Flower," but the Goldwyn company gives assurance that these are not horticultural films.

Antonio Moreno is a bachelor. We don't know what connection, if any, that has with the crowd that the next picture is called "The Bitterness of Sweet."
and Knight Goshen's. Eugene won from Sutherland, which still keeps starting up a new record. He won first honors in the upper Willamette league. Next Sunday these two teams meet here.

Log Kills Workman.
CENTRALIA, Wash., July 17.—(Special.)—After he had been struck by a log at the Eastern Railway & Lumber company's camp this afternoon, the body of a man was found in a hospital here. He was 25 years of age and single. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McIntire, reside at Agate, in eastern Lewis county.

Spain Beats Great Britain.
LONDON, July 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—It was officially announced tonight that Great Britain had conceded Spain a walkover in the Davis cup tennis competition.

Girl, 6, Star of Band.
BABY EDNA STANDS ON HANDS OF LEADER TO PLAY.
Children From Orphan's Home, in Town on Tour, Give Concerts on Street Corner.

Baby Edna, six years old, is the youngest member of the Des Moines, Wash., orphan's home band of 25 youngsters which arrived in Portland yesterday for a week's stay. She is also the first, and only, girl player on record. Whenever she plays solos, she stands on Daddy Draper's hands so that all gathered around can hear.
The children are on tour through Oregon and will go as far south as the California border. They are traveling in a big touring automobile, both of which have been made into veritable houses on wheels. The boys are housed with Mr. Draper in the first car of the caravan while the girls in the trailer are accompanied by Mrs. Draper. Both the cars are roomy and comfortable and the kiddies have the time of their lives riding around in them, according to "Daddy" Draper, their superintendent.
A happier and more contented family than ours would be hard to find, said Mr. Draper yesterday. "Several of them have mother and father living and most of them have no kith or kin that they know anything about."
They all attend the Des Moines public school and at the close of last term all except one passed to the next grade. Our home is located on the bank of Puget sound in the little town of Des Moines, just half way between Seattle and Tacoma.
For many years the Des Moines children's home was supported solely by the proceeds of entertainments given by the children. In the last few years the home has become so well and favorably known through people coming into contact with the children that many donations are now being received.
These donations, according to Mr. Draper, are used for improving the property around the home and to help where most needed. A fine park has been created around the home and is used as a camping and picnic grounds by hundreds of people who enjoy being near the children.
During their stay in Portland the children will give several concerts each day on favorable downtown street corners. In the evenings they will entertain the people at the Peninsula auto camp grounds.

Legion Plans Big Card.
DALLAS FIGHT FANS TO SEE SOME ACTION JULY 28.
Battling Ortega and Niel Campbell to Be One of Features for State Convention.

Dallas, Or., boxing fans are preparing themselves for some good boxing July 28, when a card will be put on by the Dallas post of the American Legion, as one of the features of the state legion convention at that time. Harry Hansen, secretary of the Portland boxing commission, has arranged the bill for the legion.
Ortega in the main event of ten rounds. Campbell is the husky Kenton boy who has been coming along with rapid strides. Campbell gave Eddie Richards plenty to worry about some time ago here and has been after a clash with Ortega since. Ortega is in good shape and working daily.
Mike De Pinto and Dick Farley, two busy featherweights well known to the Portland boxing followers, are down for the semi-wind-up. De Pinto won an unpopular decision over Farley here several months ago. Dick didn't like it any better than the fans did.
Three other bouts will round out the card. Abe Gordon meets Johnny Terry. Dube Mulkey boxes Ray Parker and Art Cruckshank meets Frank Griffin. Simon Cohen of Dallas is chairman of the legion entertainment committee. He is in charge of arrangements. The card will be held in the new auditorium at Dallas.

Club Again at War.
Members of Cinema Art Society Will Try Their President.

Peace has not been restored within the portals of the Cinema Art club. The members have decided to call a second meeting, to be held next Monday evening, for a further airing of charges and counter-charges.
Officials of the club insist that any member of the organization who has any charges to make against the club or its officers should attend the meeting, make the charges personally, and be prepared to substantiate them.
It is also the intention of the officials to have Mr. Valliere in person, so that he can avail himself of the opportunity of defending himself in the event of specific charges being made against him.
The question before the club members is whether De Valliere is to be retained as president of the club or ousted. The officials of the better business bureau have signified their willingness to abide by the decision of the members.

Yale Acquires Ed Leader.
University of Washington Boat Crew Coach Will Go East.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 17.—Ed Leader, coach of the University of Washington boat crew, will become head coach of the Yale crew at a salary approximately double that which he is receiving at Washington, according to an announcement today by Darwin Melness of the Associated Students of the University of Washington.
Leader's ability as a coach recently was emphasized by the showing of his 1922 crew at Poughkeepsie, where Washington forced the navy to a world's record to win the fall.
Harrisburg Defeats Goshen.
HARRISBURG, Or., July 17.—(Special.)—In an errorless game, Harrisburg yesterday shut out Goshen on its home grounds, 4 to 0. Until the ninth inning neither side had scored. Blevins and Smith were the Harrisburg battery and Gilbert

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POWER TO BRING LIGHTNER FROM CHINA HELD.

Cablegram Received Asking Whether Marshal From Shanghai Should Return Fugitive.

No doubt as to the authority of the United States to return Dave Lightner, accused narcotic dealer and fugitive from justice now under arrest at Shanghai, China, back to Portland to stand trial, seems to be felt by the United States attorney at that Chinese city.
A cablegram from the federal attorney there, asking whether a United States marshal will be sent from Portland or whether the United States marshal at Shanghai shall return the prisoner to Portland and stand trial, seems to be felt by the United States attorney at that Chinese city.
Lightner, on the eve of his trial here on a charge of selling narcotics, jumped his bail and boarded a Norwegian ship bound for Shanghai. He was traced by wireless and placed under arrest by the master, being turned over to the United States marshal at Shanghai on the arrival of the steamer here.
"Lightner's case opens up an interesting international question," said Mr. Humphreys, "and may test the authority of our extra-territorial court at Shanghai. Since the Boxer rebellion we have maintained a United States court, with judge, attorney and marshal, at that city. It is the only American court outside of American territory. Its powers have been subject to considerable discussion. I was inclined to believe that we would face a fight in bringing Lightner back but the telegram I received this morning seems to indicate that the court there is not in any doubt concerning its rights."

Members of State Commission Are Back.

Closed Season on Pheasants and Grouse Is Declared in Umatilla County.

The state game commission, in company with Captain A. E. Burghardt, state game warden, has returned from an inspection tour of eastern and central Oregon game farms and hatcheries. The commission left Portland on July 4. The Umatilla river, which was started in 1921, was found to be able to supply the needs of Umatilla county and the surrounding territory.
At Union, southeast of La Grande, the hatchery was found to be an ideal site.
The commission thence journeyed to Baker, Ontario and Burns where conferences were held with sportsmen. Examination of the Lakeview country tributary to Goose lake, on the Oregon-California boundary line, was made July 9.
The commission held a meeting at Klamath Falls, July 10. A closed season was declared on grouse and pheasants in Umatilla county; on Chinese pheasants in Harney county; on fishing for two years on Water Dog and Dark lakes in Jefferson county; and the season at Big Lava lake in Deschutes county which has been closed for a number of years was reopened to fishing, effective on publication of notice.

Game Tour Completed.

Father of 8 Divorced.

Woman Gets Decree, but Lets Man Keep Children.

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 17.—(Special.)—Mrs. Jessie E. Schroeder, who was married to Ralph Schroeder on March 15, 1900, at Coquille, Or., obtained a divorce here today. Eight children, Alton 21, Grace 19, Perry 17, Muriel 15, Clyde 14, Clinton 12, Howard 8 and Winifred 6, were given into the custody of the father at the mother's request. She will be permitted to see them when she desires.
Mrs. Schroeder said she lived with her husband until he deserted her at Coquille, Or., August 21, 1921. There was no property settlement.

Mayor Pleads for Law.

Planes and Autos Disturb Church and Sunday Is Not Observed.

(By Chicago Tribune Leased Wire.)
MUSKOGEE, Mich., July 17.—(Special.)—Mayor Langland today issued a public appeal for citizens to obey the law.
"I am becoming alarmed at the increasing number of law violators, especially by prominent citizens," said the mayor. "It has come to the point where religious services are disrupted by law violators. Prominent citizens speed by with the cut-outs of their machines open, while hydroplanes soar and roar overhead, and trucks rat-

Dance Wears Out Reds.

Many Braves Fall Exhausted in Barbaric Performance.

SALT LAKE CITY, July 17.—The annual sun dance of the Fort DuChesne Indians ended at sundown yesterday after a three days' continuous dance, the participants partaking of neither food nor drink during the period. Many of the braves fell from exhaustion during the dance, but as soon as they recovered they resumed the barbaric hoop spin and shuffle around a pole on which was a buffalo head.
Ear-splitting screeches, accompanied by volley after volley of shots directed at the buffalo head, opened the spectacular dance. Following this the Indians, brandishing ancient tomahawks and bowie knives, engaged in a sing-song chant

STYLES DISPLEASE ROME

Longer Skirts Required for Those Who Would Do Pious Act.

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ROME, July 17.—(Special Cable.)—The Roman church authorities have made another move in their fight against modern fashions. Outside the entrance to the holy staircase, which is many ascended on their knees by many of both sexes, has been posted this sign:
"By order of the superior ecclesiastical authorities, women, young girls and children who intend to ascend the holy staircase on their knees or walk up the stairway at the side, must absolutely wear modest dresses and of decent length. Otherwise they will be forbidden to perform this pious exercise."
The staircase was brought down from Jerusalem during the crusades and is supposed to be the one which Christ ascended in Pilate's palace. It may be ascended only on the knees and consists of 28 marble steps.

Tax Body Will Meet.

Commission at Roseburg Session to Hear Report.

ROSEBURG, Or., July 17.—(Special.)—Preparations are being made for the meeting of the tax commission which will hold a hearing in this city on July 26. The commission has announced that it is resuming its schedule which was interrupted by the recent primary election.
Some time ago local organizations appointed a joint committee which represents the taxpayers' league, farm bureau, grange, merchants association, realty board and other organizations, and a report was prepared to submit to the commission. This report probably will be revised and presented to the commission at the hearing.

Astoria Sells Bonds.

Combination Bid for \$668,000 Issue Is Accepted.

ASTORIA, Or., July 17.—(Special.)—The city council at its meeting tonight accepted a combination bid submitted by Blythe, Witter & Co., Freeman, Smith & Camp and E. H. Rollins of \$668,000 and accrued interest per \$100 for \$668,000 in 5 1/2 per cent municipal bonds, issued to refund the outstanding warrants. The same bidders offered accrued interest and a premium of \$100250 for the same amount of bonds drawing 6 per cent.
The council decided the bid for the 5 1/2 per cent bonds was the better.

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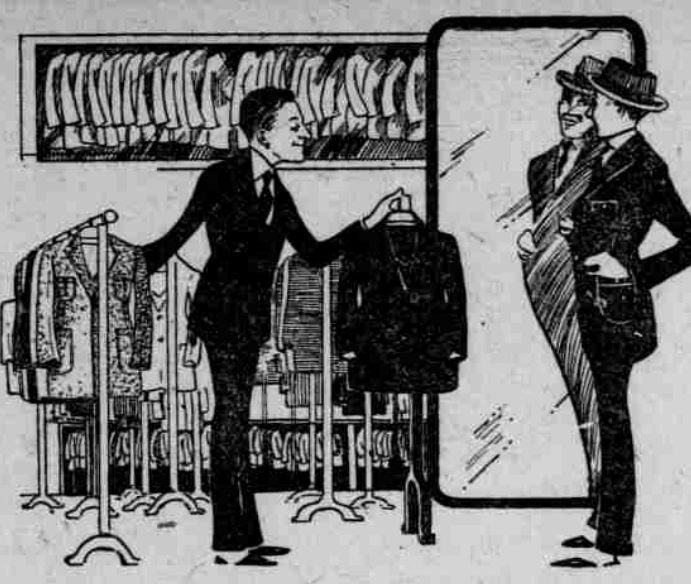
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the homes on Sunday. Unless respect is shown for the law people must be made to fear it."
Mayor Langland recently was taken to task by the minister of his church for advocating the majority rule on Sunday baseball and Sunday theaters.
Loggers Resume Operations.
ABBOTTSBURY, Wash., July 17.—(Special.)—The Schaffer brothers

Seiners Do Not Go Out.

ASTORIA, Or., July 17.—While 33 vessels of the purse seine fleet, principally from Puget sound, are anchored on the Washington side of the lower river, none has started

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BETTER SYSTEM URGED

Tab on Swimming Records Discussed by Cody.

Few Lists of Authentic Marks Are Available, Declares Instructor at Multnomah.

A better system of checking new swimming records and notifying the various clubs throughout the country is the big need of the American Amateur Athletic union, according to Jack Cody, swimming and diving instructor at Multnomah Amateur Athletic club.
"Few persons have any list of authentic records nowadays," said Cody, "and the few that do are setting records so fast that it is hard to keep tab of them."
Adding to the suggestion that some check should be kept, the local coach gave as his opinion of what the proper method should be that the American Athletic union check all records made in this country, compile them monthly and furnish copies to every swimming club which handles aquatic meets. If this were done, it would enable officials to know the records in all events and distances, whereas now not one swimming official in a hundred can even keep track of the records in his own district.
Take, for instance, the Pacific coast district. Any club on the coast can, by getting its meet sanctioned by the district representative of the American Amateur Athletic union, stage an official championship meet. Any record times made at this meet stand as official, but no one else in the country over hears about the records unless the news is supplied them by a press service.
"As a result of the lax system, records of virtually every distance on the coast are very vague, and estimating conservatively not a dozen men know the record times and the holders of the record in championships for which coast swimmers compete yearly.
In fact, there are sometimes three or four championships in every event, such as the common dash-50 yards, 100 yards or 220-yard events, every year. Hence, it is not only hard to know who the champion is, but it is also hard to keep a list of record times up to date, as some records is usually tied or broken at every meet, owing to the increasing ability of the American swimmers."
The Multnomah club swimmers are training hard for the coming Pacific Northwest association outdoor swimming and diving championships, which will be held in Victoria, B. C., August 8. A team of from seven to ten swimmers will make the trip north to represent the Winged M institution. The Multnomah club water polo team will be one of the formidable contenders for the northwest title this season.

NATIONALS SEIZE TOWN

300 Republicans Taken Prisoner in Dundalk, Ireland.

BELFAST, July 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—Dundalk is in the hands of the nationalists, more than 300 republicans having been taken prisoner.
Between 4 and 5 o'clock in the morning the nationalists virtually seized the town, only two casualties resulting—two irregulars, a man named Berry killed and another seriously wounded.

Victim's Recovery Expected.

THE DALLIES, Or., July 17.—(Special.)—Complete recovery unless complications set in, is now expected for Mrs. A. P. Watterson, who was seriously injured Saturday afternoon when she was beaten with an iron bar wielded by 14-year-old Pacific Ross. An X-ray photograph taken this morning revealed that Mrs. Watterson was suffering from a line fracture of the skull. Her youthful assailant is still held in the county jail.

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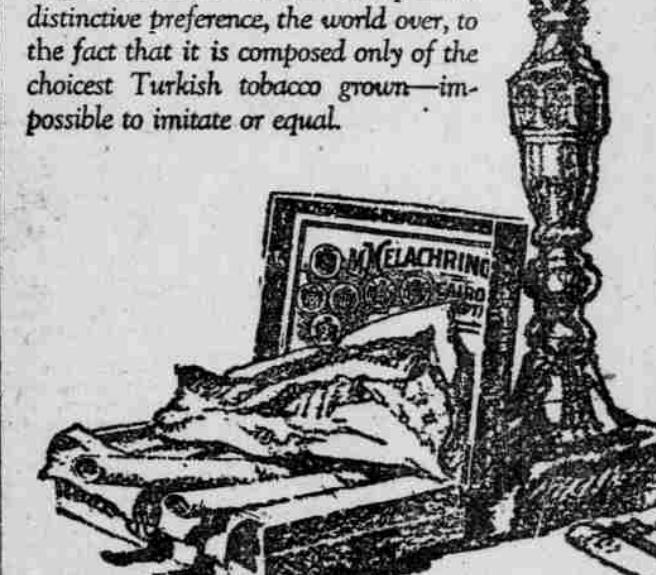
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